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## **AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated June 8, 2005, the period for response having been extended for three months by the attached petition, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED

TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES

FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 23-0975